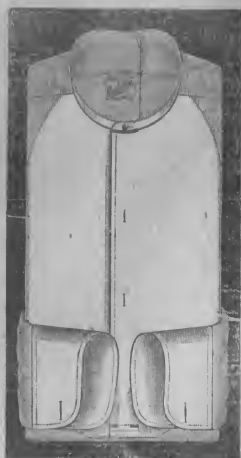


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Senator Clark Said He Had Not Had A Fair Trial.

After a Lengthy Speech He Stepped Out Of The Senate Tuesday.

Washington, May 15.—After the morning session of the senate had ended Senator Clark arose to a question of personal privilege and delivered a carefully prepared speech. He created a profound sensation by declaring that he had not had a fair trial before the committee which investigated his case. After he had finished he ended the whole matter by tendering his resignation as a senator. This was a surprise, as he and his friends had stoutly maintained all the time that he would not resign under fire but would endeavor to have the committee's report reversed.

JACKSON WINS.

Decision in the Pembroke Town Marshal Case.

The County Board of Election Commissioners held a meeting Monday, sitting as a contest board, to try the contested election case of J. E. Jackson against J. M. McGlothlin, growing out of the election for town marshal of Pembroke last fall. Mr. Jackson was represented by Judge J. T. Hanbery and Mr. McGlothlin by Mr. W. T. Fowler. The testimony was in the form of depositions. Several witnesses deposed that in North Pembroke precinct the sheriff of election deposited the detached stubs from the ballots in the same ballot box with the city ballots, some stubs being folded in and others around the ballots. This precinct gave McGlothlin a majority of three votes. In South Pembroke precinct where Jackson had one majority, McGlothlin contested the precinct on the ground that the sheriff of election, put in as a supply on the morning of the election, in the absence of the sheriff appointed, was not a household. This fact was sustained.

After hearing argument, the contest Board took the case and agreed upon a judgment, giving the office to Jackson, each party to the suit to pay his own costs.

The office of town Marshal pays only about \$12 or \$15 a month in fees, but the City Council employs the marshal as a policeman at a salary of \$50 a month. McGlothlin has been employed for two years by the council and that body will retain him as policeman. This will of course make the office worth but little to the successful contestant.

The decision in the case was not made public until yesterday afternoon.

YOUNGS-MORLAN.

Local Fair Harried at Methodist Church After Church.

Immediately after services at the Methodist church Wednesday night, Dr. Piner, the pastor, was called upon to perform a marriage ceremony in the church. The contracting parties, Mr. Harvey Youngs and Miss Clara May Morlan, both of the city, had driven to the church in a hack and the wedding took place at once.

The groom is a very popular young man and is in the employ of Forbes & Bro. His bride is a very pretty and popular young lady, whose home was on Juap Avenue.

Case Continued.

The case of the Commonwealth against Rex Chandler, charged with shooting and wounding Rivers Trimble, col., at Lafayette, last week, was called Tuesday, but on account of the absence of several witnesses, was continued until the 24th inst.

SCANDAL GROWS.

Cuban Postoffice Stealing Grows Almost Hourly.

Havana Postmaster Also One of the Most Prominent Republicans in Indiana.

Washington, May 15.—The Cuban scandal grows apace, with every day's developments. E. G. Rathbone, director general of post in Cuba, has been deposed, and J. L. Bristow, now fourth assistant postmaster general, will sail today for Cuba to take his place. More than a year ago Gen. Breckenridge recommended that rigid inspection be made of Cuban civil affairs.

He was immediately placed under ban and became very distasteful to the administration. Major-General Brook's name is being liberally used in connection with the growing scandal. No accusation has been made against his integrity, but it is thought that he ought to have been much stricter in approving deficit requisitions which are believed to cover much corruption. Alger is also being blamed.

The developments show conclusively that a badmess will be made of the boasted colonial policy of the republicans. Incompetence and corruption will continually create scandals such as this Cuban steal.

The president and his friends are greatly concerned over the effect this matter will have in the approaching campaign. The cabinet devoted to discussing it at the last meeting. It is given out that vigorous prosecutions will follow in order to impress the country that the republican party is not responsible.

Further investigation into postal affairs has developed a great shortage in the Havana postoffice. This is a distinct department from the one Neeley plundered. As a result Postmaster Edward Thompson, late of Indiana, has been suspended and is under arrest.

Two stamp clerks have been arrested, and probably the whole force is involved, so extensive are the steals. The postmaster at Matanzas has also been arrested. He was one of Neeley's confederates, and has stolen a large amount. Six prominent carpet-baggers are being closely watched and may be arrested at any moment.

It appears that the frauds ramified in almost every possible direction, even the rented boxes having been made a source of illegitimate gain.

Every additional revelation increases the amazement of the Americans here. The Cubans seem to be immensely pleased. They declare that the Americans can no longer boast in Cuba of their superior honesty when in government employ. As yet, it is impossible to say how many persons will be implicated.

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This Week, Clean Sales Made Throughout.

There is no change to quote in prices offered for leaf tobacco this week, all grades of which sold at satisfactory prices. The market on common to medium lugs was stronger than last week, clean sales being made throughout. Good leaf ranged from \$10.25 to \$8.00, medium leaf from \$8.00 to \$6.50, common leaf from \$6.50 to \$5.00, and lugs from \$5.25 to \$3.50.

The sales this week amounted to about 600 hogheads and receipts were also good.

Menara, John D. Hill, C. R. Garland, and Misses Fannie Rogers, and Annie and Jean McKee are attending the annual session of the general assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Mrs. H. R. Price is visiting friends in Paducah.



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Alleges Cruel Treatment.

Maggie Ratcliffe sues for divorce from Louis Ratcliffe. The petition alleges cruel treatment and that they were married in this county in 1898 and have not lived together since July 28, 1899. The parties are colored.

Will Resume Run.

Conductor W. A. Butler, of the I. C., who let a chair fall on his foot, breaking one of his toes, is out again and will shortly resume his run between this city and Princeton. In his absence Capt. Hart has had charge of his train.

Eloping Couple Weds.

Clarksville, Tenn., May 16.—Cephias Poe and Miss Ida Lindsay, cloppers from Allegree, Todd county, Ky., were married to-day at the Buckingham Hotel by Squire Smith.

Dr. R. S. Carter is spending a few days in Louisville.

HALE-OWEN.

Kelly the Scene of a Pretty Home Wedding.

Kelly was the scene of a pretty home wedding, which took place Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, when Mr. John W. Hale, a well known young farmer, and Miss Mary E. Owen, daughter of Mr. Thomas A. Owen were made one. Esq. B. F. Fuller officiated.

Sues For \$1,500.

Mrs. Bird Mattingly has filed suit in the Circuit Court against L. H. Harned's administrators for \$1,500. She alleges that she is due that amount for nursing and waiting on Mr. Harned during the past fifteen years.

Social Event Near Gracey.

Quite a number of the young people from the city attended a reception given last night by Mr. and Mrs. John F. Clardy, of Gracey.

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MAN AND BIRD IN COLLISION.

Strange Experience of a Locomotive Engineer.

[Atlanta Journal]

A dove winging its flight over the tracks of the Southern railway near Juliet, Monroe County, collided with a passenger train going in the opposite direction at a high rate of speed yesterday afternoon. The bird's body plunged through the glass window of the cab. It's beak, sharp as a needle's point, pierced the right eye of Engineer Chas. Wallace and the surgeons say it destroyed the Engineer's sight temporarily and possibly permanently.

Engineer Wallace was at the lever of the afternoon passenger train from Macon when it pulled out of the Union depot yesterday. The run to Juliet was made without incident. After the train left the station the engineer opened the throttle to run the train faster than usual in order to make up a few minutes lost time. The train was bowling along at a sixty-mile-an-hour gait.

The engineer's seat in the cab faces the track ahead. A window of glass an eighth of an inch thick protects him from the drafts, smoke and cinders. He was looking through this window when suddenly the body of the dove burst through the pane of glass and a ruck him in the face. He was blinded for an instant and the pain in his eyes made him realize at once that he was seriously hurt.

The fireman on the cab with Engineer Wallace saw the accident and relieved him of his post. The pain increased in Wallace's eye until it was almost unbearable and he finally went back into the baggage coach to get such assistance as was possible on the train.

The dove was killed by the sudden contact with the cab window. Its quivering body fell on the iron floor of the engine cab after striking the engineer, and was picked up by the fireman. So great was the momentum of the train and the dove's body that the glass window was smashed by the blow of the collision. The hole through which the bird was hurled was clean out like that made by a bullet fired through glass.

Its Soft Side.

"This is hard work," said the gloomy man.

"You ought to come out and live where I do," said the cherry friend. You want to get away from these asphalt pavements and come to our neighborhood, where the world is characterized by nice, soft mud of every consistency from oatmeal mush to angel cake.

Stationary.

Ethel—You don't think I am growing old, do you?

Edith—Not at all. You have been 25 the last eight years, to my certain knowledge.—Harlem Life.

The Highway Czar.

Since it Lords it over everything else that's a wheel.

Tis proper to call it the naughty-mobile.—Elliot's Magazine.

She Was a Jewel.

Caller—Is Mrs. Brown at home?

Bridge (raw domestic)—Yes; she's home, but want y-z plaxz put your ticket in me mouth—I me hands is wet.—Truth.

So It Was All Right.

"They sat and held hands all the evening."

"How silly!"

"But you have to whist."—Answers.

Tommy Acquires Information.

Tommy—Pop what's the difference between theory and practice?

Tommy's Pop—Theory, my son is what we tell other people we would do if we were in their place, and practice is what we actually do when the time comes.—Philadelphia Record.

Moan from a Martyr.

Mrs. Tracy—Do you realize, my dear that you have never done anything to save your fellowman from suffering.

Mr. Tracy—Didn't I marry you.—Exchange.

While Masticating Caramels.

Irene—You got a good seat in the crowded car by looking at a man till he got up and made a vacancy for you.

It was splendidly done, but I could never have done it. I wish I had your cheek.

Clara—It would be an improvement, dear, if you had my whole face.—Chicago Tribune.

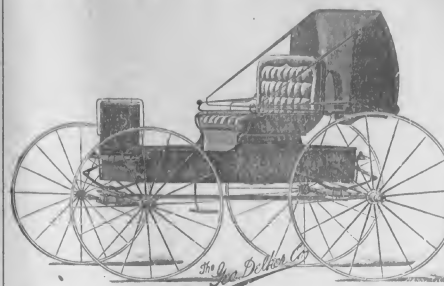
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Nature herself clad in the early garbs of spring, blossoms forth trees and flowers chasing the desecrated chord to vibrant to life, the most delightful of all, springtime and how do you feel? Have you that tired, aching feeling, the foreboding of Chills, Malaria and Typhoid fever? If so, you must not pass this warning as it is an indication of sickness avoid this, consult us as our advice costs you nothing. Call on your druggist and procure a bottle of Dr. C. Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Cure. Take one dose a day at bed time for six days then follow by procuring a bottle of Tonic. Chill Tonic, following the directions and after two weeks course of these two great remedies, you will feel like the flowers look in the spring. Prepare yourself for the material or hot season when the atmosphere is full of germs. If necessary and when your system weak, you repeat the above. These Remedies in stock sold by

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Chas. Replogle of Atwater, O., was unable to work on account of Kidney trouble. After using Foley's Kidney Cure four bottles he was entirely well. For sale by Anderson & Fowler.

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John Francis Brice, son of the late Senator Calvin Brice, was married to Miss Florence La Vergne Ricketts, an actress.

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To the thirteenth.....	3.12
To the fourteenth.....	1.56
To the fifteenth.....	.78
To the sixteenth.....	.39
To the seventeenth.....	.19
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The Battleship Kentucky was commissioned and formally turned over to Capt. Chester, Tuesday.

Senator Clark, of Montana, is still living up to his reputation of knowing what to do and when to do it.

Charley Wheeler being the only candidate in the First district, the Congressional Committee will meet again May 26 to declare him the nominee.

The Court of Appeals has decided in a case from McCracken county that a justice of the Peace may open an office and issue processes in a district other than his own, but all courts must be held in his own district.

Dr. Geo. B. Eager, of Montgomery, Ala., who was elected by the Southern Baptist Convention to a professorship in the Seminary at Louisville, will announce his decision from his pulpit Sunday. He is a brother of Dr. B. F. Eager, of this city.

Judge John H. Westover, county judge of Grant county, editor of the Williamsport Courier and the father of twin boys, is a candidate for Congress in the Sixth district. He is an original Goebel man, which fact will not hurt him in a contest in the Sixth.

The White County Republicans, after a sharp contest in the county convention, adopted a resolution endorsing Charles Finley, one of the Indiana fugitives wanted at Frankfort, and expressing confidence in his innocence of the crime with which he is charged. Former Inspector Lester was one of those who opposed the making of Finley's indictment a party issue by the Republicans in the coming campaign.

The Cuban postoffice scandal at Havana, growing out of the looting of Republican Indiana carpetbaggers, is growing worse as the full facts are brought to light. Neeley, Rathbone and Thompson have all been suspended and many others are being drawn into the net. An era of stealing equal to the days of reconstruction in the South, seems to have been inaugurated by these pets of the administration, sent to prey upon the Cubans and the treasury of their own country.

Chas. H. Scott, an Alabama Republican politician, has issued warrants for the arrest of Republicans who are charged with conspiring to assassinate his brother Young Scott, at the State convention. Several prominent federal office holders are accused. Unless Kentucky proves equal to the task of punishing assassins to the full extent of the law, the Kentucky method of killing political opponents is liable to become popular with Republicans in other States.

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Senator W. A. Clark resigned his seat in the Senate Tuesday before the report in his bribery case was voted upon. In a lengthy speech he defended himself and indicted his enemies and concluded by announcing that a copy of his resignation was in the hands of the governor of Montana, Gov. Smith is an anti-Clark man but he happened to be in California on business and Lieut. Gov. Spriggs, a strong Clark man, was acting governor and immediately appointed Clark to the vacancy. It was as neat a trick as ever was turned and has left Clark's enemies with a sickly case of dry gins. With a new and clean title to his seat, it now remains to see what his persecutors will do next.

The Republican State convention was in session at Louisville yesterday, with a large representation from all over the state. Taylor and Bradley were among the leaders present. The election of four delegates to the Philadelphia convention was the chief business on hand, as the district delegates had already been selected in district conventions. This is the first opportunity the Republican party has had to condemn the assassination of Gov. Goebel and the publication of the resolutions adopted will be awaited with curious interest.

She Didn't Say Much!
Elder Sister (coming up)—Kitty! What have you been saying to Capt. Coward? He looks dreadfully offended!

Kitty (engaged to the captain)—I only told him that if he had gone to the war and been shot I should have been so proud of him!—Punch.

A Willy London Shoe Clerk.
"I don't quite like the shape of these shoes."

"They conform precisely to the shape of your foot, madam, and nothing could be more beautiful than that." Sold—L. B. Bitts.

Doubtful.
She—Time will make no difference in your love for me, will it, dear?

He—Absolutely none, darling.
"But are you sure you will love me as much next week?"—Brooklyn Life.

Case Dismissed.
The case of the Commonwealth against Will Wiggins, charged with taking the property of another, was on motion of the prosecuting witness, dismissed by Judge Cansler.

Relief at Hand.
"I cannot sing the old songs," He sighs. Ah! I could sing 'em! He will not sing the old songs, And therefore many of 'em.—Philadelphia Press.

Two Reasons.
Why do men sing? Ah, well-a-day—Most jinglers give their art away? They sing to hide the joy they feel, Or tell the girl they'd fain conceal.—Indiana Police Journal.

Too Generous.
Mrs. Gabbe—You don't seem to consider my opinions very valuable. Mr. Gabbe—My dear, I consider them so valuable that it shocks me to see you giving them out so promiscuously.—Philadelphia Press.

The Money and the Mourner.
While yet the lamp holds out a beam, The vilest sinner may return; While his money hoards out to burn he'll trail.
Most likely, to hit the same back trail.—Detroit Journal.

Strategy.
Sick Toper—So you, doctor, permit me one glass of beer a day? And your assistant will be no do to the same?
"Yes."
"Alright; that makes at least two!"

The Knights of Pythias Lodge will give a banquet at Hotel Latham on the night of May 24th.

FILLING UP

With Guests is the Popular Arcadia House.

The summer season is now on at Dawson Springs, the noted health and pleasure resort, and the Arcadia House is rapidly filling up with guests from all over the United States. Numerous costly improvements have recently been added to this excellent hotel, thus affording increased comfort to guests. The tables at the Arcadia are always supplied with the best the markets afford, the accommodations are the best and rates are most reasonable. N. M. Holman & Co., are untiring in their efforts to please and they are always rewarded by a heavy run of business.

Not the least of improvements for the benefit of pleasure seekers is a double bowling alley, just completed and situated on an elevation just east of the hotel. It was built at heavy expense and is said to be one of the best in the state.

If you contemplate a visit to Dawson this season, stop at the Arcadia and you will be well pleased and go home happy.

ADMIRAL DEWEY

Unveiled the Shaft Erected to the Great Farragut.

Knoxville, Tenn., May 14.—Admiral Dewey and party today visited Lays Ferry, the birth place of Admiral Farragut, where Dewey unveiled the shaft erected to Farragut. The Dewey party will leave this evening for Washington.

Last Day.
Remember Dr. Goldstein's last day is to-morrow, Saturday. Call and see him at Hotel Latham.

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At present, Here are a few things it will do, but its only a portion of its power. See the inducements we offer to have you. YOU leave ten dollars with us:

A Royal Blue Serge Suit, \$10.
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This line of suits are equal in every respect to any \$10 suits ever sold on this market, so you can see what extra you get in our house for your money.

Close Root Pruning.

Mr. H. M. Stringfellow, the Texas theorist on rigid pruning of fruit tree roots when planting trees, is now pushing his theory in a practical test. He has bought land near Lampasas, Tex., and is putting in to practice sensational experiments which he regards as no experiment whatever, but the result of sound thinking and sensible experiment. He lays off his virgin soil with a line with no hole digging or plowing, but drives a bar of sharpened steel one inch thick and three and a half feet long down one foot, where the tree is to be set. Then he prunes the roots after the severe manner for which he is credited, and puts the trees down in those small circumscribed holes. He puts in each hole after the tree was put in, a handful of silt from a creek bed and a small tin cup of water. He set out 1,200 trees a day with one man to drive the steel bar with a sledge hammer and another to carry and set the bar, and with a boy to drive the silt and water wagon, the work was all done. He writes the President of the Texas Horticultural Society that at the date of his letter every tree was growing finely, and that he may expect to see "the finest, healthiest and most productive orchard in the country."

Mr. Stringfellow's methods of close root pruning has been the talk of Texas horticulturists for two or three years, and so far his methods have been wonderfully successful.

What Hurt Mudge.

Yabsley—And then she said if she were a man she would knock you over, did she?
Mudge—Worse than that. She said if I were a man she would knock me over.—Indianapolis Press.

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If you want to get real pleasure out of your evening drives, take your carriage to West & Lee, and have them to put on a set of their elegant rubber tires. They have the best equipped plant in the South and guarantee work and prices.

Give home enterprise a chance.

For Rent.

Three store houses in the Dryer & Young block, opposite the Latham Hotel, for the year of 1900. See John Young.

LANGUID

Many a schoolgirl is said to be lazy and shiftless when she doesn't deserve the least bit of it. She can't study, easily falls asleep, is nervous and tired all the time. And what can you expect? Her brain is being fed with impure blood and her whole system is suffering from poisoning.

Such girls are wonderfully helped and greatly changed by taking

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Jan. 25, 1890. Sidney, N. Y.

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COL. J. HENRY POWELL

Paid a Distinguished Honor by Cultured Boston.

As indicated in Dr. Benjamin F. Trueblood's letter, which follows this introductory, says the Henderson Gleason our distinguished fellow townsman, Col. J. Henry Powell, was more than surprised on receipt of the letter, to know that he had been so highly honored and that too by Cultured Boston, for therein is the honor more to be appreciated. Entirely unsought and unlooked for, as it is but natural that the Colonel should be proud of this very distinguished recognition of his worth as a man, as well as his great reputation in the lecture field. The Gleason is glad to say that Dr. Trueblood's confidence has not been misplaced, but fortuitously centered upon the right man for the place.

Dr. Trueblood's Letter.

Boston, May, 10.—Hon. J. H. Powell, Henderson, Ky.

My Dear Mr. Powell: I have planned a little surprise for you which, I hope, may be altogether pleasant to you. When I met you at Henderson at the time of my lecture, I was so much pleased with your character and Christian sincerity that I have since hoped that we might have you associated with us in the great work in which the American Peace Society is engaged, I, therefore, proposed your name yesterday at our annual meeting and you were unanimously elected one of the vice-presidents of the society. The position involves no special labor and no necessary expense.

I hope you may give us the great pleasure of allowing us to use your name and the influence of your standing in Kentucky in the interest of our work.

With most pleasant remembrances, I am,

Very sincerely yours,
BENJAMIN F. TRUEBLOOD.

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"On Jordan's stormy banks I stand, and cast a wistful eye!"

There's lots of music in 'em—those dear, sweet hymns of old—

With visions bright of lands of light, and shining streets of gold;

And I hear 'em 'singing in gold, where men 're dreaming stands.

"From Greenland's icy mountains to India's coral strands,"

And so I love the old hymns, and when my time shall come,

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The Arctic Sea Cow, Discovered in 1741, Had Entirely Disappeared in 1768.

One of the most remarkable animals on the Pacific to disappear before the advance of man within the past 150 years was the rhytina or sea cow—rhytina gigas—which was discovered by Behring in 1741 on the island that was given his name, says the Scientific American.

The surgeon of the wrecked party has left an interesting account of this Arctic manatee—an extraordinary animal, which attained a length of 30 feet and a weight of 8,000 pounds.

The animal was found in herds about the mouths of streams, and being a clumsy creature, with no means of defense, easily became a victim to the party, who speared them for food.

So vigorous was the warfare against it carried on that in nine years the five herds on Copper island were exterminated; in 1763, those on Behring island had been destroyed, and in 1768 the last one paid the penalty and the rhytina became a memory, the skeletons in the National and Russian museums, the San Francisco academy of science and a few others alone telling the story.

LUCKY THIRTEEN.

Terrible Accident During a Festival Celebration in Italy.

Rome, May 15.—A terrible accident, resulting in the death of from thirty to forty persons, took place today at Ronciglione, on the Lake of Vico, during a celebration of the feast of St. Lucie, whose chapel is on the shore of the lake. Two boats filled with young people capsized within 300 yards of the landing stage. Only thirteen persons were saved.

Married Three Sisters.

W. R. Holly, who had already married two daughters of Capt. James Carter, of Rowland, married another, Mrs. Lena Carter, Lebanon Junction last week. When Mr. Holly married the second daughter, Mr. Carter remarked that Holly was trying to marry the whole family and sure enough he has married all of the daughters. This makes his fourth matrimonial venture.

A Little In Doubt.

"I see that both sides are very generous in giving each other credit for great valor and persistence in this South African war," said the tourist.

"Yes," answered the burgher; "I have noted such rewards. But I haven't made up my mind whether they are due to magnanimity of soul or to realization on both sides that we've got to explain somehow."—Washington Star.

True to Life.

Play comes in—the third act the wife comes in late and finds her husband in a sound sleep. Then she creeps over to the lamp and goes through the last chapter of a novel.

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TWO GOOD MEN.

The County Loses Two of its Best Citizens.

Dr. C. J. Northington And Montgomery Adams Claimed by The Grim Reaper.

Dr. C. J. Northington, for fifty years a practicing physician at Lafayette, died Monday at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. Hugh C. Crenshaw, near Roaring Springs. About two weeks ago Dr. Northington suffered a stroke of paralysis and had been in a hopeless condition ever since. His death was expected every day.

He was born just over the county line of Trigg county 72 years ago and lived all his life in the immediate vicinity of his birth. He received a good education and after graduating from Cumberland College taught school for five years. He then took up the study of medicine and graduated from medical schools at Memphis and Macon, Ga. He located at the nearby town of Lafayette, where he built up a large practice and made for himself a reputation as a successful physician and a useful citizen, that he leaves as a proud heritage to his descendants. He was married Nov. 12, 1857, to Miss Susan J. Hester, who survives him with one child, the daughter at whose home he died.

Dr. Northington was a lifelong Christian and held membership in the Christian church at Lafayette. He was also prominent in the masonic order. He burial took place at the Northington burying ground near Pee Dee, Tuesday. The services were conducted by Eld W. E. Mobley, of Elkton.

DIED TUESDAY NIGHT.

Mr. F. Adams Succumbs to a Complication of Diseases.

After a protracted illness, resulting from a general breaking down of health, Mr. Montgomery Adams died Tuesday night, at his home near this city.

He was a son of John and Elizabeth Adams, and was born near the farm where he died. He was about 57 years of age and was one of three brothers who have long been regarded as among the very best citizens of the county.

He owned the old Adams homestead and every few years it has been the custom of the Adams brothers to hold a general family reunion on the premises, where a dinner of barbecued meats and other good things would be served and the day spent in speechmaking, etc. The whole-souled subject of this sketch was usually the prime mover in these hospitable reunions and many friends would be invited to meet with the large number of descendants of the elder Adams, who bore the distinguished name of a President of the United States.

Many a heart will be saddened to know that Gam Adams, the clever gentleman, the upright citizen, the generous neighbor and kind-hearted friend has attended the last family reunion on earth.

He was twice married. His first wife was Miss Mollie Forbes, a sister of the Forbes Brothers of this city. One child was the result of this union, Mrs. J. S. Givens, of Providence, Ky. A second wife and several small children survive him. He leaves a handsome estate.

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Serious Ills of Women

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MARRIAGE INSURANCE.

Unique Organization Incorporated at Champaign, Ill.

Champaign, Ill., May 15.—Probably the most unique insurance association that has ever been sprung upon the people of the United States was established last week at Champaign, where five bright young men have formed "The Marriageable Mutual Benefit association," with headquarters in this city. The object of the association is to provide a fund upon which young married couples can begin housekeeping. It being purely a mutual. Thirty dollars is demanded of each applicant, payable at the rate of \$5 per month, and after a member is initiated into the lodge his dues are 50 cents per month until his marriage takes place. No examination as to whether the applicant has matrimonial aspirations is held, but no benefits are allowed until a member has been in the lodge 18 months. Upon the presentation of a marriage certificate after this period has elapsed a member is paid \$250. This sum is also paid should a member die while holding a certificate.

Recent Invitations.

The path in front of a bicycle is cleared of substances which would puncture the tires by a new attachment, comprising clamps for suspending a small circular bush in front of the forward wheel, with driving wheels to revolve the brush rapidly on the ground.

In a newly-revised card-case the cards are held in place by a broad spring clamp, placed between two flexible covers, which are joined to form a book, the cards being printed separately, and having one edge forced under the spring to keep them in place.

Fans are held in a distended position by a new device, provided with two hinged rods to be attached to the outer edges of the fan, with a spring connecting the rods near the hinges to force them into a straight line when the fan is opened.

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Louisville, Ky., March, 1900. My Dear Doctor: After using the "X Rays" glasses adjusted by you, I am happy to say that they are unsurpassed in every particular. Indeed, they are a blessing and a comfort which I have not found in any other glasses, though I have tried several different kinds. With them I read for hours at night without weariness to the eyes and without headache, which I have experienced in using other glasses. It is a pleasure to me to advise my friends to go to the Louisville and Indianapolis Optical Company when they want a genuine test of their eyes and the best glasses to be had. Respectfully yours, REV. JOHN H. BOYET, 218 Third Avenue.

The Louisville and Indianapolis Optical Company: Gentlemen: Having been blind in my right eye from cataract for 4 years and hearing of your painless method of removal, I came to your Institute on a Wednesday and received a treatment that afternoon on Thursday morning, after which, at some time between 2 and 3 p. m., I found myself able to see a hand at 10 feet away—less than 24 hours. I could not tell the exact moment I was made to see. I took an chloroform or anything of that nature. I was given promises to see a home on the side of the river. I was not confined to a dark room for an hour, and even at all; went out into the city every day. I am now able to see and describe large objects a quarter of a mile away and am getting a better vision of life. Yours respectfully, E. C. NELSON, Of E. C. Nelson & Co., Barrel Manufacturers, St. Louis, Mo.

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Tribunal of Last Resort.

Maxon—Did you tell your wife about that California decision that a man had a right to beat all night and give no account of himself?

Waxton—I did.

Maxon—Then what did she say?

Waxton—That the decision was reversed.—Puck.

The telephone company has finished putting up the big cable containing 200 wires in one rope.

WASH. POST
The Eye Wash—Heat Prostration
Other Items.

Chen, Ky., May 17.—The 14-year-old son of Mr. Wm. T. Hight, who lives near this place, has been suffering with inflamed eyelids for some weeks and had been having them treated with an eye wash. On yesterday, by mistake, carbolic acid was used and the youth was thrown almost into convulsions by the intense pain resulting. A physician was immediately summoned and everything was done to relieve the sufferer, but it is feared that he will lose his eyesight.

Dick Clark, col., an L. & N. section hand, was overcome by the intense heat, while at work on the track near Empire Tuesday, and was prostrated for several hours. Dr. Gooch, of Empire, was called and succeeded in relieving the patient. He is now able to be at work again.

Rufus Parish, of this place, better known as "Dick," who was run over by a loaded wagon and badly crushed one day last week, is able to be out, though he has not yet recovered from the accident. His collar bone was broken, several ribs were fractured, and it will probably be several weeks before he is able to resume work.

Clark & Co.'s circus is billed for two performances here tomorrow. They show at Renshaw's store Saturday.

Rain is badly needed throughout this section and farmers are ready for a season to set out tobacco. There is a movement on foot to set apart one day in each month as "Horse Swapping" day.

It has about been decided to hold the usual barbecue and brandance on the fourth.

NITRAM.

MISS BOTTOMLY ENGAGED.

To Marry Mr. F. K. Yost, of Hopkinsville, Ky.

Louisville, Ky., May 16.—The engagement of Miss Nell Morton Bottomly and Mr. Frank Kavanaugh Yost is announced, and comes as a pleasant surprise to the many friends of the couple in this city.

Miss Bottomly is the second daughter of Rev. Edward W. Bottomly. She is an intelligent and cultured young lady. Mr. Yost is a son of F. A. Yost, of Hopkinsville. He is secretary and treasurer of the Crescent milling company of that city.

The marriage will be solemnized on Tuesday evening, June 5, at 7 o'clock, at the Lander Memorial church in this city.

Will Kill Himself.

Frankfort, May 16.—James Robertson, the Beckham soldier, is still in jail here. He is very dependent, and says he will kill himself as soon as he gets out of jail. Robertson's victim was the tenth man killed in this county since January 1, not counting two accidental deaths.

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A Fair Question.

Mrs. Parbury (about to cry)—Now, Clement, you'll discharge her, won't you? And get a new secretary—a man secretary.

Mr. Parbury (calmly) No, Madam, unless you give me your reason for wanting Miss Gunning discharged.

Mrs. Parbury—Oh, Clement, you can't be reasonable.—Harlem Life.

Tribunal of Last Resort.

Maxon—Did you tell your wife about that California decision that a man had a right to be out all night and give no account of himself?

Waxton—I did.

Maxon—Then what did she say? Waxton—That the decision was reversed. Puck.

The telephone company has finished putting up the big cable containing 200 wires in one rope.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce

HON. HENRY D. ALLEN.

Of Union county, as a candidate for reelection to Congress, subject to the action of the Democratic party of the Second District.

The Battleship Kentucky was commissioned and formally turned over to Capt. Chester, Tuesday.

Senator Clark, of Montana, is still living up to his reputation of knowing what to do and when to do it.

Charley Wheeler being the only candidate in the First district, the Congressional Committee will meet again May 26 to declare him the nominee.

The Court of Appeals has decided in a case from McCracken county that a justice of the Peace may open an office and issue processes in a district other than his own, but all courts must be held in his own district.

Dr. Geo. B. Eager, of Montgomery, Ala., who was elected by the Southern Baptist Convention to a professorship in the Seminary at Louisville, will announce his decision from his pulpit Sunday. He is a brother of Dr. B. F. Eager, of this city.

Judge John H. Westover, county judge of Grant county, editor of the Williamstown Courier and the father of twin boys, is a candidate for Congress in the Sixth district. He is an original Goebel man, which fact will not hurt him in a contest in the Sixth.

The White County Republicans, after a sharp contest in the county convention, adopted a resolution endorsing Charles Finley, one of the Indiana fugitives wanted at Frankfort, and expressing confidence in his innocence of the crime with which he is charged. Former Inspector Lester was one of those who opposed the making of Finley's indictment a party issue by the Republicans in the coming campaign.

The Cuban postoffice scandal at Havana, growing out of the looting of Republican Indiana carpetbaggers, is growing worse as the full facts are brought to light. Neely, Rathbone and Thompson have all been suspended and many others are being drawn into the net. An era of stealing equal to the days of reconstruction in the South, seems to have been inaugurated by these pets of the administration, sent to prey upon the Cubans and the treasury of their own country.

Chas. H. Scott, an Alabama Republican politician, has issued warrants for the arrest of Republicans whose names are charged with conspiring to assassinate his brother, Congressman Scott, at the State convention. Several prominent federal office holders are accused. Unless Kentucky proves equal to the task of punishing assassins to the full extent of the law, the Kentucky method of killing political opponents is liable to become popular with Republicans in other States.

Deafness cannot be cured by local applications, as the cause cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or roaring in your ears, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Ring cases out of ear are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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This Month

And have new

Senator W. A. Clark resigned in the Senate Tuesday the report in his bribery case voted upon. In a lengthy speech he defended himself and his enemies and concluded by saying that a copy of his resignation in the hands of the governor, Montana, Gov. Smith is a Clark man but he happened in California on business at Gov. Spriggs, a strong Clark was acting governor and later appointed Clark to the office. It was as neat a turn as ever. Clark's enemies with a side of dry grins. With a new title to his seat, is now remembered what his persecutors next.

The Republican State convention was in session at Louisville Tuesday, with a large representation from all over the state. Bradley were among the leaders present. The election of delegates to the Philadelphia convention was the chief business on hand, as the district delegates had already been selected at district conventions. This is an opportunity the Republicans have had to condemn the action of Gov. Goebel and the action of the resolutions which will be awaited with curiosity.

She Didn't Say Much

Elder Sister (coming up)—What have you been saying to Coward? He looks dreadfully fuddled!

Kitty (engaged to the cap)—I only told him that if he had to the war, and been shot I have been so proud of him!

A Willy London Shoe Crier

"I don't quite like the shape of these shoes."

"They conform precisely shape of your foot, madam nothing could be more so than that." Sold—1. Bits.

Doubtful.

She—Time will make no difference in your love for me, dear?

He—Absolutely none, darling! "But are you sure you will be as much next week?"—Ilyn Life.

Case Dismissed.

The case of the Commons against Will Wiggins, charged taking the property of another on motion of the prosecuting mesa, dismissed by Judge Ca

Relief at Hand.

"I cannot sing the old songs." He wails. Ah! I could love 'em! He will not sing the old songs, And there are many of 'em. —Philadelphia Press.

Two Reasons.

Why do men sing? Ah, well-a-day! Most jongleurs give their art away! They sing to hide the joy they feel. Or tell the girl they'd fain conceal. —Indianaapolis Journal.

Too Generous.

Mrs. Gabbe—You don't seem to consider my opinion very valuable. Mr. Gabbe—My dear, I consider them so valuable that it shocks me to see you giving them out so promiscuously. —Philadelphia Press.

The Money and the Mourner.

While yet the lamp holds out to burn, The vilest sinner may return; While his money he does out to burn he'll fail, Most likely, to hit the same back trail. —Detroit Journal.

Strategy.

Sick Taper—So you, doctor, permit me one glass of beer a day! And your assistant, will be not do the same! "Yes."

"Alright; that makes at least two!"

The Knights of Pythias Lodge will give a banquet at Hotel Latham on the night of May 24th.

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For Rent.

Three store houses in the Dryer & Young block, opposite the Latham Hotel, for the year of 1900. See John Young.